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7. The system of claim 6 wherein said extensions extend into said pipette tips a distance

from about one fourth of said spacing distance to about one half of said spacing distance.

8. The system of claim 7 wherein said plurality of extensions includes an extension for positioning into each pipette tip on the receiving card. --

REMARKS

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